

# Media Information



Columbus Division of Police

Date: 08/26/2020

Major Crimes Bureau / Felony Assault Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Shooting

Date: 08/26/2020

Time: 7:10pm

Location of Offense/Incident: 3725 Easton Market

Zone: 1

Precinct: 6

Incident Report #: 200643279

Cruiser District: 61

Victim: Charles Burton IV

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 40

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

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## Incident Summary:

On 08/26/2020, at approximately 7:14pm, Columbus Police Officers were dispatched to the urgent care at 2880 Steltzer Rd on the report of a person that walked in with a gunshot wound. Officers arrived and made contact with Mr. Charles Burton IV, who stated that he was shot in the Easton area. Mr. Burton had a gunshot wound to the stomach and was transported to an area hospital in stable condition.

Mr. Burton explained that he met up with someone to make a transaction. After words were exchanged, Mr. Burton said he decided to leave. As he was getting out of the suspect's vehicle, Mr. Burton was shot in the stomach. Mr. Burton then produced his own pistol and returned fire at the suspects, but wasn't sure if he struck anyone.

This incident is still under investigation and anyone with information is asked to contact Felony Assault Unit Detective David Younker #1516 at (614) 645-4141 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477).

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